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Union of British Columbia with Canada

In the resolution to the union of British Columbia with the Dominion of Canada about to be consummated Commissioners from British Columbia have been in attendance at Ottawa with a view of effecting the consolidation Here require the acceptance of the Government of the Dominion which is supposed will protect British Columbia and be advantageous to her interests They anticipate that Canada is to be joint and equitable debts of British Columbia at the time of union that the population of the province of financial arrangements should be at least 60 000 (which is about ten times the real population) as that as British Columbia is not in arrear debts equal to the improvements that constitute the Dominion she will receive interest on her own liabilities and on a proper proportion of the debt of the consolidated provinces The British Columbia local Legislature is to be supplied by the confederacy For this purpose there is to be an annual grant of $35 000 and further sums equal to eighty cents per head of the population, each year Besides, the central Government is to pay the salaries of the Governor the Judges and officers of the Supreme and County Courts and be at all necessary charges for the customs department and whatever other commercial regulations shall be necessary Steam communication and freight is to be provided at the expense of the Dominion Government, between San Francisco and Victoria. Steam mail service from Victoria to Nanaimo New Westminster and other points on the seaboard, is to be provided also The following article relative to a railroad was in the original draft of the terms of consolidation

Inasmuch as no real union can subsist between this country and Canada without the speedy establishment of communication across the Rocky Mountains by coach road and railway the Dominion shall within three years of the date of union, construct and open for traffic such coach road from some point on the line of the main trunk road of this Colony to Fort Garry of similar character to said main trunk road and shall further engage to use all means in her power to complete such railway communication at the earliest practicable date Surveys to determine the proper line for such railway shall at once commence A sum of not less than $1 000 000 shall be expended in every year from and after three years from the date of union in actually constructing the initial sections of such railway from the seaboard of British Columbia to connect with the railway system of Canada

It would seem to be doubtful whether such an article as this will be acceded to by the Dominion Government Yet this idea of a railroad is the main thing which induces British Columbia to seek the union It is freely stated by the Commissioners at Ottawa that without the assurance of this railroad the people of this country into free boot ers and plunderers engendering a mania of opportunity of free investment and demoralization that would result in both Canada and British Columbia

President Grant on Cuba

The message of President Grant on Cuban affairs which we published on Saturday is an answer to the memorial of the Cuban patriots which we published a few days ago praying for the recognition of belligerent rights in the struggle which they are making for liberty and independence against the tyranny and oppression of the Spanish government The people of this country are indignant at the piracies and plunder of Spanish cruisers when ever opportunity offers The President on demand of the inhumanity manifested in both the civilized and semi civilized nations that the Cubans have met with at the hands of the Spaniards has not felt himself justified in recognizing the Cubans as belligerents and entitled to the rights of war as between nations But the message leaves the door open for receiving or collecting such information as may through which happily will carry him through which necessitate the recognition of the Cuban Republic if that should be found to be necessary Congress will probably take the same view of the matter and make no appropriation for receiving or collecting information as to the state of affairs in Cuba

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CITY.

SOMETHING OF A CONTRAST.—Let those who sit all the climate of Oregon, and vent their spleen upon our little "patch," consider all the circumstances, Oregonians have no cause to feel particularly cut up, should some genius from California go over to the Sound, instead of swapping his lordly fingers with "Webfoot." No Oregonian unless he is simply sensitive, would, for such a thing, go long himself. He could still afford to live, and live well, though he should sink to the ordinary level of a long eared animal. In such a contingency human animal Webfoot could afford to look down upon the modest Webfoot content of his own and seeing everywhere luxuriant verdure, the profusion of flowers and fruits, a land bursting with bounteous crops, congratulate himself that his lines have been cast in pleasant places, and that, though the Gods had not gifted him with boundless arrogance, super eminent impudence and all those other beatific qualities which go to distinguish the real Californian, he yet could find enough in the contemplation of a slight contrast to gladden his heart, and to draw by pre-emption Webfoot from his country and some others not lying within the jurisdiction of the Webfoot constitution. For instance: we flatter ourself that it would be a downright impiety for us to think that we have the trouble to provide over our fireside with the comforts of a blazing fire, during eight months of the year, especially showers, balmy sunshine and an almost temperature, while everyday the telegraphic dispatches from abroad are loaded with expressions as these: "The heated term continues," "the weather grows hotter and hotter;" "the thermometer of fatal sunstroke to-day!" "——to-day, 93;" "thermometer, to-day," "——to-day, 98;" thermometer, to-day," etc. Everything burning up in the intense heat, everybody getting injured by the heat," etc., and those who are afflicted with chronic complaints of Walla Walla, please read the dispatches from the east and the climatic accounts from the east, and then inform us specifically what there is in Oregon which to found boasting over in the disadvantage of Oregon?

THEY FELL UNDER THE FIFTH RIB.—At the meeting at East Portland, one of the old "stalwarts" was a candidate for "school honors" was a candidate for [illegible] Paseo; but notwithstanding his [illegible] invitation to his party, his name was [illegible] with the ticket by some of the [illegible] brethren, whereby the aforesaid [illegible] was largely not elected to the aforesaid [illegible] and responsible office. As is frequently the [illegible] with frail mortalmen, under [illegible] among our friends, the "wheel-horse," [illegible] has a right to be angry, but [illegible] who could say him nay? He felt [illegible] as he should say him nay? He felt [illegible] as he should, but [illegible] right to skoob around, [illegible] not before and to kick out behind. [illegible] to free time to time, we have seen evidences [illegible] sloshing, etc?, and that, unless [illegible] leading party brethren should prove [illegible] execution of sudden and lively flank [illegible] they stood in some danger of finding [illegible] heels playing, a lively tattoo [illegible] The latest "slosh" from that [illegible] following, which appeared in the [illegible] last evening as an advertisement:

"There will soon be a meeting of the East Portland at Trainor's Hall to [illegible] to take charge of the Dog Days [illegible] city. Prominent among the [illegible] are expected without and sound [illegible] A. V. Thayer and N. H. Ladd, but [illegible] and nomination at the hands [illegible] Thayer was 'left out in the cold' [illegible] decidedly in favor of Thayer, [illegible] his honor that no spurious [illegible] on the occasion."

[illegible] notice was appended the following notice of "Fair Play," which being [illegible] vernacular, means Barney [illegible] we suppose. There is a heap [illegible] in unregenerate man, and [illegible] pap—save and except that he is [illegible] Revenge is a man or a wheel-[illegible] and Barney is after revenge, with a [illegible] object of bagging his game.

[illegible] TONIGHT.—The burlesque extravaganza of the Lady of Lyons, played last evening, [illegible] the greatest successes of the season. [illegible] piece is so well known and so generally [illegible] a burlesque upon it must [illegible] merit in it to succeed. Yet [illegible] burlesque in existence which has [illegible] the great cities. As a burlesque [illegible] popular as the original of [illegible] and superior. It is full of in-[illegible] and plays upon words, witticisms, [illegible] with a hurly-burly of laugh-[illegible] full foreseen from those of the [illegible] already versed over try to witness it [illegible] at our Yankee cousin would [illegible] Mr. Melville was in his [illegible] of Pauline, while Miss Annie Pix-[illegible] We have never seen either of [illegible] better than in this piece. Melville's [illegible] something almost marvellous, and [illegible] of the sing of the haughtily [illegible] laughable to the last degree, [illegible] the safety of the buttons and [illegible] of his audiences. Mr. Vinson's [illegible] was very artistic and quite as [illegible] Pauline. The dough-ky combat [illegible] widow and her new daughter-in-law, [illegible] the house in such screams of laugh-[illegible] before heard in Oro Fino [illegible], with the single exception [illegible] occasionally in her lines, was [illegible] Miss Minnie Pixley was [illegible] Claude, and Thornton did Col. [illegible] style. The same piece, with [illegible] to-night.

[illegible] WITH VANCOUVER'S [illegible] COLUMBIA.—The Portland [illegible] officially informed that ar-[illegible] been concluded for an ex-[illegible] between the United [illegible] of Vancouver's Island [illegible] to take effect on the first [illegible] rates of postage chargable on [illegible] exchanged with the prov-[illegible] half ounce or fraction there-[illegible] after the 1st proximo, [illegible] not, and cents on [illegible] Letters insufficiently [illegible] unpaid [illegible] magazines and all other [illegible] are to be chargable with [illegible] of postage, to and from [illegible] United States, and the [illegible]

[illegible] on the part of the [illegible] New York, San Fran-[illegible] Olympia; and on the side [illegible] Island and British Columbia [illegible]

[illegible] mile and between the offices of [illegible] New York, San Francisco and Portland [illegible] and Victoria on the other, are to [illegible] through mails, not to be opened [illegible] office.

[illegible] is directed to give directions for the [illegible] of correspondence between this office [illegible] from and after the 1st of July next [illegible] with the above instructions.

L. H. WAKEFIELD, P. M.

Portland, Oregon, June 27, 1870.

[illegible] Manual.—Last evening Bishop Mor[illegible] a number of gentlemen at the vestryroom [illegible] Church to take action upon the project [illegible] boys' school. The Bishop reported [illegible] and the heirs of the Couch [illegible] a plot of land for the purpose [illegible] immediately west of Eighteenth [illegible] between D and C. streets. He also [illegible] plan of the proposed building. The [illegible] that he desired to erect the south [illegible] by Jan. To do this he wanted the [illegible] subscribed to subscribe $2,500, to which [illegible] $1,000. He also stated that within [illegible] years he desired to expend $10,000 [illegible] building and grounds, and that if the [illegible] of Portland would contribute $5,000 of [illegible] he would pledge the remainder. The [illegible] to accomodate 150 day scholars [illegible] and the Professor and his family [illegible] some of his remarks the Bishop stated [illegible] in the past year he had expended $18,[illegible] for Portland in the purchase and improvement [illegible] for girls' school, $13,000 of which [illegible] contributed through himself and $5,000 [illegible] citizens of Portland. The meeting ap[illegible] Messrs. Dr. Wilson, Lewis, Brooke, Mc[illegible] Dead to canvass for sub[illegible] and adjourned until Wednesday even[illegible] to hear the committee will succeed, [illegible] the citizens of Portland will consult their [illegible] and contribute promptly to this laud[illegible] enterprise.

[illegible] AMONG THE ROSES.—A rose bud is the [illegible] of love, or, at least, so we have heard. [illegible] somebody has of late taken to singing [illegible] among the roses," the roses have taken to [illegible] the little love symbols. We have [illegible] roses on our table, each of which [illegible] a well developed rose-bud. The [illegible] which they were plucked has many [illegible] giving all promise of devel-[illegible] It is growing in the [illegible]

BONDED WAREHOUSES.—Among the benefits to result to Portland from the act of Congress creating the Wallamet Customs District and making Portland a Port of Entry, will be the establishment of bonded warehouses here. Merchandise in bond, under the Internal Revenue system, as well as goods from foreign countries under the customs regulations, may be stored here and withdrawn from bond as the condition of the market may require. Merchants will thus have an advantage which they have not before possessed. Hoards of merchandise may thus be held at small expense ready for withdrawal and distribution, and in case of goods like liquors and tobacco, on which there is a heavy internal tax, dealers will be required to pay the tax only as they withdraw the articles for the market. Those branches of business may thus be followed here at much less outlay than heretofore. Dealers can withdraw merchandise from bond to suit the capacity and condition of the market, and thus have the advantage of much better facilities for the transaction of business.

BRIEF MENTION.—The river is receding slowly.

The bark *Webster* has commenced loading.

The *Moses Taylor* will sail this evening for San Francisco.

Col J. S. Ruckel, now at the East, is expected to return to Oregon in a few weeks.

The P. T. Co.'s steamer *Fannie Patton* is to be lengthened nineteen feet, and will then be one hundred and fifty feet long.

RAILROAD EXPRESSION.—Some of the gentlemen friends of the Methodist Church of this city have chartered the cars of the East Side railroad for a grand 4th of July excursion and celebration. The proceeds are to be turned over to the ladies of the church, who are raising a fund to upholster and fit up the inside of the new church. An advertisement containing the particulars can be found in our columns.

APPROPRIATION.—A letter from Congressman Smith states that the River and Harbor Appropriation Bill as passed by the House appropriates $31,000 for the improvement of the Wallamet river below Portland. That amount will complete the works, according to the estimate of the engineer.

STOLEN.—A lot of carpenter's tools were stolen from Mr. H. H. Tuttle's shop, some time between Saturday evening and Monday morning. Certain parties are suspected, who will find it to their advantage to return the tools without asking any questions or charging anything for their honesty.

NEW SAW MILL FIRM.—By an advertisement in this morning's paper, it will be seen that O. H. Rodgers has sold his saw mill to Messrs. W. P. Abrams and L. Boeser, who will hereafter carry it on. Mr. Abrams will be the business man at the mill.

HEAD SMASHING.—On Sunday a man named Moore, living out in the suburbs, took it into his head to smash his wife's head with a club. He carried the conception into execution, and now there is one Moore in the county jail.

REMOVAL.—Russell & Ferry, Real Estate Agents, are removing their office to the Willamette Hotel building on Morrison street, between Front and First. They have a new advertisement of property for sale, in this paper.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.—Monday, June 27.—*In re*, M. Moskowitz, in Bankruptcy—cause dismissed on payment of costs by debtor M. Feehheimer for creditors; Rolph for debtor.

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON, JUDGE.—The case of W. P. Doland vs W. J. Bradbury came up yesterday morning for trial and occupied the greater part of the day.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.—In the case of John B Lamb, *et al* vs T J. Carter *et al*., decision on demurrer to bill will be announced to-day at 10 A.M.

The Garden City of Germany.

Erfurt has been given the name of the "Garden City of Germany," and according to recently published statistics in Upper Consistorial Councillor von Tettau's "Erfurt Past and present," she well deserves the title. The area devoted to horticultural purposes in and around the city is over 3,000 Russian morgens (0.65 of an acre). About 600 morgens of this are devoted to market horticulture; 320 morgens of the latter again are devoted to the production of flower seeds, and 210 morgens to vegetable seeds. The houses for the culture of exotic plants, and the hot and cold beds, possess glass covering to the extent of 250,000 square feet. There are 36 independent horticultrists, of whom 27 do only a wholesale trade, beside 120 market gardeners, altogether employing over 500 assistants. The vegetable and seed trade depends almost entirely upon the great cities of Germany. Over 300,000 catalogues and price lists are annually printed for the wholesale producers, at a cost of $10,000; 50,000 of these are wholesale catalogues, and half of the latter are prepared for England and America. The amount of postage paid on these catalogues, some of which are pamphlets, and on the letters containing seeds, is very great.

For transmission of these seeds a vast number of linen and paper bags and paper are required, involving an annual outlay of over seven thousand dollars. Both these articles are manufactured in the surrounding villages, giving an employment to a great many poor people. As all these bags must be provided with the name of the dealer, a great amount of printing is also required. An incredible number of boxes and baskets are needed for packing purposes; the latter are made by the poor people in the neighboring villages; the former are made in the Thuringian Forest. Many poor families do nothing else during winter but make wooden tickets and sticks for the flowers.

A number of little Thuringian villages are almost upheld by the manufacture of flower pots for Erfurt alone. About 600,000 pots are planted yearly with about 3,500,000 stock-gilliflowers. These planted in a single row would reach nearly fifty miles! In the year 1863 150,000 pots were planted, with 1,550,000 gilliflowers for seed, and these brought an income of nearly fifty thousand thalers. The production of the gilliflower in sixteen varieties and over two hundred colors established the horticultural fame of Erfurt ever since 1810.

The cultivation of vegetables for the market is chiefly carried on in the so-called Dreienbrunn, an area of nearly two hundred acres, which was formerly a great swamp, and used only for the production of watercress. In the fifteenth century the market gardens were all within the city walls; in the last century the water courses in the Dreienbrunn were regulated, and the whole swamp changed into an immense vegetable garden. About twenty acres are still reserved for the production of cress. Before the era of railroads the Erfurt market was limited to the surrounding cities, but now the Thuringian railroad takes the produce to Cassel, Leipsic, Halle, Nuremberg, Weimar, Gotha, and other places. Of the seeds, fifty-eight per cent is sent to Austria, twenty-four per cent. to Germany, and eighteen per cent. to other lands of Europe, to England and America. A large trade in dried flowers is also carried on. In some of the gardens it is very difficult to get even a single bouquet. Agriculture is also prosperous in and around Erfurt, the farmers also devoting their attention to the production of field vegetables.—*Letter to the Evening Post*

THE STEEL PEN.—James Perry, an English schoolmaster, made the first steel pen, and was so good a business man that he succeeded in introducing it as the Perry pen. In 1825 he had fifty men engaged in the business of making pens, but it was left for Jeremiah Mason to make the pen popular, the same man, by the way, who became a second Peabody by establishing an orphan asylum endowed with $1,200,000. Mason was a Kalamazoo master carpet weaver, but went to Birmingham and manufactured pins, needles, shoe-strings and other infinitesimal goods. Here he saw in a shop-window a steel pen, priced at sixpence. He bought three, made better and lighter ones at a cost of a penny and a quarter apiece, and sent specimens to Perry. The inventor was delighted and loaned money to Mason, and the intercourse ended in partnership and mutual wealth. Perry has since died, and Mason is now the sole proprietor of the Perryan pen.

The Committee of Arrangements for the Railroad Excursion are requested to meet at 7½ P. M. promptly this evening in the basement of the M. E. Church.

The Presbyterians will soon build a church at Albany.

Mr. Volney Smith, son of the late Delazon Smith of this State, is publishing a Republican paper at Lewisville, Arkansas, called the *Red River Post*.

The body of Tommy Right, a boy who was drowned in Mary's river some days ago, was recovered on Tuesday while floating down the Wallamet near Corvallis.

The *Farmer* says that kerosene thrown upon the nests of caterpillars will destroy them. This is said to be an excellent way of getting rid of them when they infest fruit trees.

The *Statesman* reports that Messrs. A. L. Buckingham and W. J. Murphy, who have been prospecting for coal in the hills in Polk county, a short distance from Salem, have found favorable indications of a good quality of coal.

Mr. J. W. Doutbitt has returned to Salem from a trip to the east of the Cascade mountains, where he has been making selections of the fifty thousand acres of land donated to the Agricultural College founded by the United States Government. The lands have all been designated and set apart. Most of them are in the Grass Lake country, and the rest in Ochoco Valley.

Mr. Burkhart, writes from the ocean beach to the *Democrat*, as follows: "The road to this portion of the coast is rather rough though probably as good as it will be this season. The scenery from this point—Salmon River—is the finest probably that this coast affords. The mouth of the Siletz is about eight miles below, south of that of the Salmon. Midway from these points on the beach is plainly to be seen Cape Foulweather on the south, and Cape Lookout on the north, which is probably the most western portion of the Oregon coast. As for fish, they are taken only by the Indians, in small quantities, and sold very high. Flounders and perch, rock oysters and other shell fish, may be had in abundance. Taking the trip altogether, it is indeed a pleasant one, though persons coming this season of the year should be well prepared with tents, etc."

DARIEN EXPEDITION.—A New York date of the 19th says

Advices from the Darien expedition are to May 30th. The weather continued unfavorable; daily heavy rains were swelling the streams to torrents and made it difficult to keep the working parties provisioned. The survey from the Bay of San Blas had however, proceeded 20 miles to the highest elevation found, 309 feet. The elevation of the river is 295 feet. It is believed that the survey will be continued till the party cross the dividing ridge and communicate with the surveyors from the Napo, on the Pacific side, who are some distance up the Iyano river, and are about to leave it for the Marmonga. The general health of the expedition was fair. No sickness except from fever and ague. The men were dissatisfied with Capt. Selfridge's determination to prolong their stay on the Isthmus. Five had deserted from the ship guard. The officers and men complain that their endurance is taxed to the utmost, and a longer stay will be dangerous. Most of them have worn out their clothing and shoes, and the officers are little better off. At the date of the latest dispatch the expedition had for dinner fresh potatoes, beets and carrots, received from San Francisco via steamer and Panama Railroad.

An additional lot of those handsome spitz worsted everybody, both heavy and light weight, has received by Kohn & Fishel, No 91 Front street. They are equal to the best custom-made and pleasing to all men that wear them. They also received an extra fine lot of striped calico shirts and Star white shirts.

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A Cross Husband.—Mrs. Smith.—The fact is, my husband is becoming so outrageously cross and nervous that there is no living with him. He pretends one day that he has got the dyspepsia; the next day liver complaint; the next is sick, with no appetite—declares that there is nothing on the table fit to eat, and so on. It is all nonsense, and nothing but his confounded ugliness. From the very bottom of my heart, I believe he wants to worry me to death.

Lady Friend.—Mrs. Smith, I think you are wrong. No woman has a kinder or more indulgent husband than you. I must confess that I have noticed a change in Mr. Smith, but am inclined to think that all he wants is a tonic; and if I were you, I would not be a day without Plantation Bitters in the house. Make him take them moderately three times a day, and in a short time I think you will see a change. My experience is that Plantation Bitters is one of the best and most delicious tonics in the world; and that for nervousness, loss of appetite, dyspepsia and all kindred complaints, there is nothing so good.

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No. of Acres	Acres Fenced	Acres Improved	No. Fruit Trees	County	Miles from Portland	Remarks.	Price.
10½	7½	7½	400	Wash	17	Good frame house and barn	$1,250
80	60	50	350	"	17	House and barn 60x80	1,600
160	40	40	250	Ham.	19	Two story frame house and barn	2,100
320	50	50		"	20	Box house & hay shed	1,300
327	100	100	1000	Mult	6½	Log house	3,500
160				"	7	Across swale	1,600
160	4	4	150	Clack	7	Some swale land	1,600
320	200	60	800	"	11	House and sheds	2,000
320	200	25	600	"	11	House and barn on Tualatin road	2,000
160				"	13	No improvements	1,200
160				"	11	"	800
20	20	15	250	Mult	7	House and barn	2,500
60		10		"	20	Box house	1,100
58	4	4	200	"	5	One and a half story house	800
120				"	5	Unimproved	1,200
480	300	350	600	Wash	17	Three houses & barns	6,500
640	300	150	400	"	23	Good houses and barns	5,000
120	6	8	100	"	15½	Box house and barn	2,500
320	60	30	200	"	14	Good open land—log dwelling	1,200
120	60	25	1000	Mult	3	On Base Line Road	3,000
13	13	13	400	"	3½	Good house	2,000
80				"	4	Unimproved	1,250
115	80	10	400	"	6½	Box house and barn	2,750
640	10	40	1200	"	7	Good frame house	4,000
240	10			Clack	9	Two miles above Milwaukie	1,200
44	2	2		Mult	3½	Box house	1,100
185	100	25	800	Clack	18	Frame house & barn	1,350
160	75	30	200	"	17	Log house and barn	1,000
714	75	200	200	"	22	Frame house, saw mill and blacksmith shop on Willamette river	3,250
305	40	40	800	"	9½	Frame house and barn and woodyard	2,200
160	120	60	600	"	9½	Frame house and barn	2,500
400					2	On John Slavin's land	3,000
275	275	35	500	Mult	7	Two frame houses barn in miling lands, and stock — good dairy farm	4,000

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Sketch of the Literary Career of Charles Dickens

The following article on the literary career of Charles Dickens appeared in the New York Day Book a short time before the death of the great novelist

Charles Dickens the son of Mr John Dickens who held a position in the Navy Pay Department was born at Landport Portsmouth England in 1812 At the close of the war with the United States his father returned on a pension and removed to London where he became connected with one of the daily journals as reporter of Parliamentary debates Charles entered an attorney's office as clerk but finding his duties distasteful and drawn by a natural bias toward literary occupations he sought and obtained an engagement as a reporter on the staff of the *Morning Chronicle* This newspaper was then at the height of its popularity under the management of Mr John Black who recognizing the readiness and ability of the new *attache* soon gave him a chance to display his versatility by publishing in the *Chronicle* the Sketches of English Life and Character which were collected and reprinted under the title of Sketches by Boz in 1836 and 1837

The freshness and humor of these papers and perhaps the dramatic power indicated by The Village Coquettes a comic opera which Mr Dickens wrote about that time attracted the attention of Messrs Chapman & Hall the publishers who applied to Boz to prepare for them a serial story to be issued in monthly parts. The result was the Posthumous Memoirs of the Pickwick Club with illustrations at first from the pencil of Seymour and after his death from that of Hablot K Browne Phiz Mr Dickens has given in a preface to later editions of those famous memoirs a very interesting account of the conception and growth of the work which, begun without any very definite plan remains the most perfect thing of its kind in the English language

The success of the Pickwick Papers was immediate and great Its witticisms and shrewd picturing of English character high and low touched the heart and fancy of all classes The sayings of Sam Weller were quoted by speakers in the House of Parliament and by the ragged gamins in the slums of London In less than six months from the appearance of the first number of the Pickwick Papers the whole reading public were talking about them—the names of Winkle Wardle Weller Snodgrass Dodson and Fogg had become familiar in our mouths as household terms and Mr Dickens was the grand object of interest to the whole tribe of Lion-hunters male and female of the metropolis Nay Pickwick Nupkins figured in tailors' drapers' windows and Weller cloth arrays in prospectus-makers' advertisements Bozenis might be seen rattling through the streets and the portrait of the author of Pelham or Chichton was scraped down or pasted over to make room for that of the new popular favorite in the omnibuses This is only to be accounted for on the supposition that a fresh vein of humor had been opened that a new and decided original genius had sprung up until the most cursory reference to preceding English writers of the comic order will show that in his own peculiar walk Mr Dickens was not amply the most distinguished but the first

Thus the heavy *Quarterly Review* * The young man who made all this tumult in literary London was twenty-three or four years old Taking into consideration his youth and surroundings his success is without a parallel in the biographies of men of letters In Feb 1836 this much scarer for a lord to wake up and find himself famous than it is for a man who has neither rank nor wealth to back his ability—so very much easier that the difference is appalling.

Mr Dickens was now in the full tide of success Of course the editor of the priceless Pickwickian monstrosities did not look for brilliant proposals from the leading London publishers He accepted from Mr Bentley the editorship of his *Miscellany* on the second number of which, for February 1827 appeared the first installment of Oliver Twist The story admirably illustrated by George Cruikshank at once became a favorite and is still regarded as one of the author's most striking novels Oliver Twist like Nicholas Nickleby (which was issued in shilling numbers uniform with Pickwick" shortly after the completion of that work) dealt with the abuses and cruelties which prevailed in certain public institutions, and was happily instrumental in repealing laws that sanctioned gross injustice. It is noticeable that in most of his novels Mr Dickens has battled with some social wrong against society, and while adding to literature a crowd of impersonable creations has taught us the deepest lessons of human love and charity

Mr Dickens in 1840 undertook the production of a series of tales in weekly numbers under the general title of Master Humphrey's Clock" It was in this series that The Old Curiosity Shop and Barnaby Rudge were first given to the world While Master Humphrey's Clock was still running Mr Dickens edited the Memoirs of Joseph Grimaldi the celebrated clown.

On finishing 'Master Humphrey's Clock, Mr Dickens sailed from England for the United States, to gather material for a volume upon the men and manners of the New World Returning to England he published American Notes for General Circulation in 1842 Having outgrown many of the follies which were indeed fair objects for any man's satire we look back with wonder on the protests which these bright crisp Notes drew from American readers The same keen eye that discovered Mr Pecksniff in England could not easily keep itself shut while Mr Dickens was making his memorable tour through the Northern and southern States The abstinency and wrong he saw among us he treated in the same spirit in which he had treated the sins and shams of his own people—writing of New York or Boston as he would have written of London or Dublin or Paris if the opportunity had arisen In the American Notes were not at the period of their publication considered pleasant reading but sadly it was a saying of a portion of our own press that we were not entirely faithless as a people that rendered us so sensitive in the year of grace 1842

Martin Chuzzlewit appeared in numbers in 1844 and in the summer of that year the author visited Italy He returned from a short absence of several months to assist in founding a cheap daily newspaper of liberal politics Having organized all its literary staff and enlisted the services of most of the ablest writers of the day he resigned in January the first number of the *Daily News* bearing as editor-in-chief on its title page the name of Charles Dickens The results of his editorship were subsequently reprinted in book form as Pictures from Italy The *Daily News* will under way Mr Dickens retired from the editorial management in order to devote himself to pursuits more congenial and important

It was in 1843 that he gave us the first of his inimitable Christmas books A Christmas Carol the second The Chimes in 1845 and the third The Cricket on the Hearth in 1846 In the latter he gave us the title of many a charming household story or nursery tale Mr Dickens people has been pleasantly said that Christmas in England owes most of its cheer and kindly usage to Charles Dickens that it has brought back with it hearts to England's best Christmas time

In 1847 8 Mr Dickens published Dombey and Son in 1849 50 David Copperfield" Bleak House in 1853 Hard Times in 1854 and Little Dorrit in 1856

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In 1840 Mr Dickens started *Household Words* a weekly journal of which he was the conductor and principal writer for eight years when it was merged into *All the Year Round* which he still conducts Mr Dickens has been for the last twenty years one of the most popular readers of his own works in England and has received large sums of money for his public readings Some of the best of these he has given in this country

In person Mr Dickens is of medium height with a well-knit frame and a face indicative of great mental power and activity His eyes are dark and piercing his hair and beard are iron-gray and he wears a mustache and imperial His manners are cordial and winning and his conversation is full of humor and anecdote

In private life Mr Dickens has been a most affectionate husband and father Of late years however he has been separated from his wife and family and has lived in comparative seclusion in London

He left some benefactions to the neighborhood but nothing half so valuable as he will give the world much for his death, left naturally and from a sense of duty It was like the loss of a well governed province Should the government so wisely that he had not known it, left like unto the fruitful land before our readers the earth but for the Mystery of Edwin Drood

In one instance of Mr Dickens we will not be disappointed He requires no more than a passing mention How Thomas Read's famous picture of Sheridan's Ride has become the property of the people by being the best amateur illustration of his tune

Mr Dickens resides at Gad's Hill in Kent on the London road the beautiful old mansion that Shakespeare and Falstaff immortalize In the first Part of King Henry IV (Act II Sc 2) by setting it down as the house of Sir John Falstaff's discomfiture at the hands of his lone companions Prince Hal and Poins the latter a favorite pupil with that knight of the thin purse and his portrait taken from the traditional resident Gad's Hill was a most notable locality for robberies in the pathetic narrative in